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### Prospects Flattering.

We are glad to find out that our old friend, Fred A. Miller, is rapidly coming to the front. A few weeks since he was an humble cigar manufacturer and his name unknown to fame. To-day he is recognized as a man of great genius and is rapidly speeding toward fame and fortune. Few men in recent years have gained such prominence in so short a time. Ordinarily the name of an inventor dies almost as soon as it is born—the inventor and the thing invented dying together. But not so with Fred A. Miller. He and his invention seem destined to live forever. From the very day his patent papers were granted by the United States Patent Office, his genius has been heralded throughout the country and his fame has been growing by leaps and bounds. Some three weeks ago THE CLIMAX contained a brief notice of Mr. Miller's Sanitary Wire Bottle Case upon which he had been granted a patent. At the time, the inventor had been made one or two good offers for the manufacture of his case. Since then, however, he has been flooded with inquiries, offers and propositions from every section of the country—East, West, North, and South. The past week representatives from two large manufacturing concerns in Cincinnati and Louisville respectively, were here in the interests of their firms with the object in view of manufacturing the case. These parties, we understand, were very desirous of obtaining the rights to manufacture and offered some splendid inducements. As to the acceptance or non-acceptance of these offers, we are not prepared to state. However, the inventor, dispatched his personal representative, Mr. L. C. Colby, of Cincinnati, to arrange with the Northern interests that have just negotiated a large deal in this section of the country. The great eagerness with which manufacturers and bottling works throughout the country have welcomed the invention, bespeaks success and allays all doubts and fears. Mr. Miller is in touch with parties from the far West, and also some Eastern parties who are anxious to purchase the rights to manufacture and sell his case. But he is going on the same lines as his State, "SLOW BUT SURE." He has made rapid and substantial progress, and in the next few weeks we expect to see an evolution in the manufacture of bottle cases of the country, the new sanitary wire case in every city, town and hamlet, supplanting the bulky and unsanitary wooden case. Like hundreds of others, we have thoroughly inspected the case and for neatness, durability, practicability and stability, it surpasses anything we have seen. As practical men, we see great possibilities of a highly lucrative business, and rejoice that one of our old subscribers and long-time friends is the lucky man. The case is of wire construction and built so as to hold the bottles in proper form. According to the claims of scientists, it will be in great demand by the wine manufacturers, for its superior construction gives many advantages over the present method of handling. It is absolutely sanitary, lighter and stronger, takes up less space and is cheaper than any other case. It is practical in every form and with every prospect of making Fred A. Miller a fortune.

**Stanford K. of P. Fair 19, 20, 21 of August.**

### Notice to Bidders.

We will take bids for the construction of a general farm barn at Stelandard. Plans and general specifications are in the Normal office. Bond will be required. Right reserved to reject any or all bids. Bids must be in Normal office by noon, August 19, 1915. Signed, J. G. CHADBE.

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### Many Women Farm Laborers in Kentucky.

The farm laborers of Kentucky work on an average of 9 hours and 45 minutes per day, according to a report which has just been issued by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Kentucky farms employ 196,000 laborers and the average monthly compensation is \$17.40 with board and \$24 if the laborer boards himself. More than 19,000 of the farm laborers of this State are women. The average wage for farm labor in continental United States is \$13.85 per month with board and \$19.77 without board.

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### NEWS NOTES

Ray Taylor, of Pendleton county, while out hunting last week, shot off his toe.

Tom Miller, of Lawrence county convicted of horse stealing, 1912, has been pardoned.

Chas. W. Wright, 60, a carpenter of Lexington, dropped dead while doing repair work on a porch.

Morgan's men will meet at Olympia Springs for a three days' session the 1st Thursday in September.

A dispatch says that the Russian funds seized by the German government in Berlin banks amount to a total of \$25,000,000.

Howard Lancaster, 32, city electrician of Paris, died last Tuesday, after an illness of several weeks. He leaves a wife and two children.

T. L. Southworth, former cashier of the Peoples' Bank at Stamping Ground, Scott county, has been arrested, charged with embezzlement.

The pencil factory at Burnside has closed. Most of the output was sold to foreign countries and the war has ruined business, it is said.

Latest war bulletin: The Germans have been bottled the Cynthiana boozers at Paris and are shelling the dreadnoughts. —Cynthiana Democrat.

Hon. Leslie Combs, of Lexington, has asked the State department to get in touch with his son, Brownell Combs, believed to be in Hamburg, Germany.

Rev. J. D. Gwaltney, of Paris, has about closed a deal for the lease of the Jackson Times, owned by John T. Hindman and formerly edited by Ryland C. Musick.

The State Department at Washington is now in touch with all its embassies and legations abroad, and every effort is being made to look after Americans in Europe.

The steamer Iroquois crashed into the Berkshire in a fog on the Hudson river early Monday, but no lives were lost. Both steamers were brought to dock at Dobbs Ferry.

A map of Nicholasville, gotten up by Joseph Whitney, county surveyor, gives 1168 acres of land within the city limits, 400 acres of which is farming land. —Jesseamine News.

During the past six weeks T. S. Byars, Commissioner of motor vehicles, has issued 3,600 automobile licenses, 1,100 chauffeur licenses and 600 motorcycle licenses.

As a result of being struck by an Interurban car, Hippolyte Gysel, aged 75, died in Lexington last Thursday. He was a native of Belgium, but had lived in this country 40 years.

Full returns from the Ohio primary only serve to confirm the nomination of Harding, Republican, and Hogan, Democrat, for the U. S. Senate. Cox, Democrat, and Willis, Republican, were nominated for Governor.

A munition consigned to Gen. Villa has been held up at Tampico under orders of Carranza. The breach between the two men has grown wider. Friday diplomats completed arrangements for a peaceful entry into Mexico City by the Constitutionalists.

Although no conclusions have been reached, it is very probable that the war tax, if imposed, will place part of the burden upon tobacco products to make up for the loss of revenue in the import trade. Beer also seems certain of an increased tax.

Miss Katherine Shelby Todd, member of a prominent Kentucky family, died at her home near Shelbyville last week. She was a daughter of the late Captain Thomas Todd, Mexican war veteran and Past Grand Master of the Kentucky Masonic Grand Lodge.

A woman caught a German spy on the train from Antwerp in the act of releasing carrier pigeons, which he had concealed in a bag. She seized and held him until other passengers came to her assistance. The man was handed to the military authorities, tried by court martial and shot.

Bishop Thomas Lillis, of Kansas City, has ordered that flowers be barred at future funerals in churches of his diocese. He declared the practice savors of vanity, and often works hardships on those who cannot afford it. He favored sending a memorial card to relatives of the person who had passed away.

Two negroes, Preston Griffith and Charles Hall, were taken from the Monroe, La., City Hall tower last Friday and hanged to a tree in the jail yard by a mob of 500 excited people, for killing A. J. Madden, whose grocery they robbed. About 24 hours before, Henry Holmes was lynched, charged with the same crime.

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### Nothing Happened In His Absence.

A gentleman, had been away from home six weeks. On his return his colored coachman met him at the station. He said: "Well, Sam, any news since I have been away?"  
"No, sah; no news, sah," replied Sam; "only your dog died."  
"Is my dog dead?" asked the gentleman.  
"Yes sah, he shore is."  
"What was the matter with him?"  
"Well, sir, we thinks he died from eatin' too much burnt horse flesh."  
"How did he come to eat burnt horse flesh?"  
"De barn catch fire and burnt up de horses and de cows and dat dog jist naturally eat too much hoss meat and died."  
"How did the barn happen to burn down?"  
"We think dat it ketcht from a spark from de house."  
"What, did the house burn?"  
"Yes sir, it shore did, and a spark from de house sot de barn afire and it burnt and burnt down and burnt de horses."  
"How did the house burn?"  
"It caught from a candle."  
"How could it have caught from a candle?" I have electric lights and never used candles."  
"Your mother-in-law died and they had candles 'round her coffin and a curtain caught afire and sot fire to de house and a spark from de house sot fire to de barn and it burnt an' burnt de hosses, an' de dog eat too much burnt hoss meat and he died."  
"And so my mother-in-law is dead?"  
"She shore is. You needn't be uneasy 'bout dat; she shore is dead!"  
"Well, Sam, is there any other news?"  
"No sah, no more news, 'cept, since I come ter think of it, your wife run wid de chauffeur. News an mighty skase since you been away!"

### An Awful Lot.

Between seven and eight thousand bottles of whisky and beer were scheduled to be destroyed in Nashville, Monday, by Aust & McGugin, attorneys for the State in the recent confiscation of local whisky shops. The original intention of dumping the liquor into the river could not be carried out, as the Government will not permit so many bottles to be piled into the river in one heap. Just how the liquor would be destroyed is yet to be determined. All of this liquor was seized in Nashville, and besides the bottled goods about ten barrels will go the same way.

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**Dawson Let Go.**  
At a meeting of the officials of the Lexington Base Ball Club it was decided to give Catcher "Hub" Dawson his release to become effective at once. The officials announced that it was with the greatest regret that they had reached their decision, but that it was necessary on account of the fact that they were forced to cut their payroll to fourteen men. Dawson has been with the local team for a long time and is popular with both his teammates and the fans. His work, when he is on his stride, is of the best. He is a good, hard working backstop and a good hitter, although a little slow on the bases. Blackwell, his successor, is much younger and shows great promise. —Lexington Leader.

**Will Save Money.**  
Regardless of conditions, text books belonging to the children in the public schools of Kentucky will be traded to the book companies at the contract price. As a result this will save the parents of the children thousands of dollars. Superintendent Hamlett has decided that under the Act of 1914 publishers will be required to take up and exchange books regardless of condition, provided they are of the same grade. The ruling was made to correct an impression that has gone out that such books offered in exchange would have to be in good condition. Hamlett's interpretation of the law is that the "good condition" clause applies only to such books as are held by dealers on their shelves which, of course, will be taken up by the contractors at the original net prices.  
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